

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: OFFICE OF CONSUMER ADVOCATE, Complainant, vs. SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P., Respondent.	DOCKET NO. FCU-03-11
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**ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO WITHDRAW COMPLAINT
AND CLOSING DOCKET**

(Issued August 19, 2003)

On February 7, 2003, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a complaint against Sprint Communications Company, L.P. (Sprint), alleging that Sprint violated Iowa Code § 476.103 regarding unauthorized changes or charges in telecommunications services. Consumer Advocate requested that the Board commence an administrative proceeding pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.103 for the purpose of imposing civil penalties on Sprint for its alleged violation. The complaint has been identified as Docket No. FCU-03-11.

On August 8, 2003, Consumer Advocate filed a request to withdraw its complaint. The Board will permit Consumer Advocate to withdraw its complaint and will close this docket.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The request to withdraw the complaint filed on February 7, 2003, by the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice against Sprint Communications Company, L.P., is granted.
2. This proceeding, identified as Docket No. FCU-03-11, is closed.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 19th day of August, 2003.